

Suffolk Entrepreneur's Fund

APPLICATION DEADLINE: September 1



Fund Background

The Suffolk Entrepreneur's Fund has been created to support the United Suffolk Sheep Foundation's goals:

- Provide educational programs and materials for development of the Suffolk breed and United States sheep industry.
- Provide development of youth through events including (but not limited to), public speaking, knowledge of the Suffolk and sheep breeds, judging, and other activities to develop youth to be better individuals and care takers of Suffolk sheep or other sheep in United States.
- Support research related to the development of the Suffolk breed and the United States sheep industry.

Eligibility

Open to anyone with an idea for a way to promote, educate about or advance the Suffolk Breed or the role of the Suffolk Breed in the larger sheep industry.

Application Submission

Mail to: United Suffolk Sheep Foundation, PO Box 121, Holland, IA 50642.

Email to: info@suffolks.org

Application Deadline

September 1

Application

Please Association Membership: United Suffolk Sheep Association Member United Junior Suffolk Sheep Association Member

Full Name: _____ Flock Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone Number: _____

Project Title: _____

Project Abstract

1. Problem or Opportunity (200 word limit)
2. Project Objectives (200 word limit)
3. Describe project timeline. (200 word limit)
4. Describe anticipated results. (200 word limit)
5. Describe any background with livestock, agriculture, sheep, Suffolk sheep, etc. (200 word limit)
6. Provide a qualitative summary or justification for budget expenditures (200 word limit)
7. What outcomes are anticipated to be achieved with this grant and how will the project be evaluated to demonstrate these outcomes? (200 word limit)
8. Project --- Plan. Describe the task, methodology, applicant's responsibilities, and location as to where the project will be done. (200 word limit)
9. What does the applicant plan to do with the information and/or results upon project completion? How will this result be communicated? How can it be best utilized by the Foundation to promote it's initiatives?

10. Biography of applicant.

Amount requested United Suffolk Sheep Foundation.....

Type of Expenditure

Equipment	Purpose	Cost

Sheep Purchased	Estimated Cost	Number of Head	Total

Other Related Expenses

Selection Criteria

All projects will be selected based on merit and according to the United Suffolk Sheep Foundation goals. The board will evaluate the applications based on the following areas. Please answer each questions in detail.

1. Financial Feasibility – (200 word limit)
2. Business Soundness - (200 word limit)
3. Management Ability - (200 word limit)
4. Potential Impact on Suffolk Breed - (200 word limit)
5. Potential Sheep Industry Impact (Qualitative & Quantitative) - (200 word limit)